Company Profile



TFC, an AFC Industries Company, is one of the leading suppliers of engineering components, with an unrivalled reputation for delivering innovative products, stock management solutions, and exemplary service, to help our customers achieve breakthroughs in product development and new standards of manufacturing efficiency.





Welcome

Established for over 60 years, TFC is one of Europe's leading suppliers of technical fastener components to industry with an unrivalled reputation for delivering innovative products, supply solutions and exemplary service, to help our customers achieve breakthroughs in product development and productivity. With an extensive presence via regional service centres located nationally and internationally, TFC are geared to providing a level of support that ensures customers individual and traditional needs are truly catered for. We are proud to promote an ethos of flexibility in our approach to customer's requirements and to establish long term partnerships with an extensive base of engineering clients whose needs range from small prototype batches to high volume production.

MORGAN BURGOYNE PRESIDENT, TFC EUROPE AN AFC INDUSTRIES COMPANY

















60 YEARS OF TECHNICAL INNOVATIONS & SUPPLY CHAIN SOLUTIONS



Scope of Supply

Fasteners & Fixings

Whether it is a simple threaded bolt or a complex bespoke product made to customer drawing specifications, our quality assured fasteners are guaranteed to provide the perfect solution to your fastening needs.

- Bolts & Socket Screws in various grades
- Nuts, Washers, Rivets & Screws of all types
- \bullet Smalley* Wave Springs and Spirolox* Retaining Rings
- Sheet Metal Fasteners self-clinch & rivet bushes
- Circlips, Springs, Keys and Seals
- Threaded Inserts for plastics, timber & metal
- Electronic Hardware standoffs, handles, ferrules
- Construction Fixings anchors, through bolts, resin
- Panel, Wire & Pipe Fasteners
- Machined and turned parts to specification
- Bearings
- Quick Connectors

You name it, we'll source it.



Quality

At TFC we realise that Quality runs through the entire business, not just our products. We have continually invested in the right people to provide superior market knowledge and customer service. Our supply chain partners, from manufacturers to logistics and information technology are carefully chosen to fit our commitment to quality.

Quality assured since 1981 ISO 9001:2015 Aerospace AS9120 & AS9100

All products are batch traceable and can be supplied in accordance with REACH, ROHs and WEEE.

Certificates of Conformity are available on request and Full material certification is also available on many items.



Set your manufacturing Free Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI)



TFC Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI) provides a streamlined system tailored to significantly improve production performance, delivering what your manufacturing needs when they need it.

Our customers experience on-time production, smarter stockholding and local support to bring about positive cash flow benefits, ongoing logistical expertise, along with a can-do approach to their biggest challenges. Whether referred to as Direct Line Feed (DLF), Just In Time (JIT) or KanBan, our VMI has recognised that a "one-size-fits-all" approach is not the answer. We design our solutions to offer a flexible VMI system that caters to your specific requirements captured during a comprehensive site survey.

With the personal relationship of a local supplier, our global reach means we can support customers' products and supply chain needs wherever they are in the world.

VMI Smart Solutions

TFC's VMI enterprise-level cloud-based Vendor Managed Inventory solution takes managing your inventory and assets to another level.

TFC's customisable portfolio of Smart Solutions combines one of the most flexible inventory management systems available with industry-leading intelligence software to improve your control, leakage, security, compliance and availability.





TECHNICAL PRODUCT SOLUTIONS

TFC are the sole UK & leading European supplier of Smalley Springs and Retaining Rings and the UK preferred supplier for ARaymond[™] Quick Connectors & Fuel Connectors.

Supplier of world-leading Smalley retaining rings and springs

With decades of experience, TFC is the leading European supplier of Smalley Retaining Rings (Spirolox® and Revolox® included), Snap Rings and Wave Springs, including Crest-to-Crest®, Gap™, Overlap™, Nested and WAVO® springs.

Smalley is the world leader in manufacturing and developing these products, with a standard range of 10,000 parts stocked in carbon and stainless steel.

If you can't find a part to suit your needs, then Smalley's No-Tooling-Cost[™] manufacturing process allows fast prototyping and economical production. TFC's engineers are available for design consultations, providing a full range of resources to ensure the application contains the most effective solution.





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ARaymond[™] Quick Connectors for automotive fluid lines

Appearing in the majority of the fluid transfer lines in the automotive market, ARaymond Quick Connectors provides solutions adapted to the constraints and requirements of today's industries. Quick connectors bring many technical solutions for fluid connections in HVAC (Heating, ventilation and Air-Conditioning) and Sanitation, responding to the applicable standard requirements of these sectors.

With the broadest range of Quick Connectors on the market, ARaymond covers all automotive, truck and off-road vehicles, two and three wheelers solutions for fluid delivery systems.

Technical Support

With ISO9001:2015 approval incorporating Design Status, our qualified engineering staff are able to offer a complete free of charge engineering service and are available to assist with part selection, custom design, application requirements, material selection and more. Applications are discussed in depth, first-off design data and drawings are submitted for approval to ensure our customers are provided with the correct design, first time. However, on those rare occasions when modifications are necessary, our no-tooling process and flexible manufacturing procedures means the production of prototypes is easily and economically achieved without onerous tooling charges and long lead times.



Partners in Excellence

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